

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Examiner: McCall, Eric Scott  
Re: Application of: Thomas Hopf  
Application No. 09/269,148  
Filed: 07/06/2001  
For: Method of Determining Misfiring  
Art Unit: 2855  
Confirmation No.: 9511

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action of April 8, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.